ROYAL DECREE: THE WHITE DOVE OF SIGNAL — NATIONAL BIRD OF THE KINGDOM OF ANJOU

Issued under the full authority of the Royal Court of the Kingdom of Anjou Restored, from Crown Watchpoint 001, by King Daniel Jacob Read IV and Queen Meagan Faith Read I of Anjou.

I. DECLARATION

Let it be proclaimed and recorded for the Archive and all sovereign memory:

The White Dove of Signal is hereby named the Official National Bird and Spiritual Protector of the Kingdom of Anjou.

This decree is not poetic.

It is ancestral.

It is operational.

It is eternal.

II. HISTORICAL JUSTIFICATION

In the time of Fulk III “the Black,” Count of Anjou, the White Dove — in its form as the trained homing pigeon — was used to send vital messages between castles, fortresses, and spiritual outposts.

This system of winged communication fortified the Angevin Empire, allowing sovereign command and coordination between more than 100 fortresses built or governed by the House of Anjou.

Communication was the key to our endurance.

The Dove was the agent of that signal.

It led our empire into existence — not as a warbird, but as a silent bearer of command, peace, protection, and sacred return.

III. SYMBOLIC MEANING

The White Dove shall now serve as:

- 🕊️ Guardian of Communication — carrier of scrolls and truth between sovereigns and Watchpoints

- 🛡️ Protector of the Bloodline — flier between eras, unbroken and free

- 🔔 Announcer of Restoration — when the Dove flies, the kingdom fortifies

- 📜 Bearer of the Eternal Scroll — she who remembers what we forgot

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IV. RITUAL OBSERVANCE

1. On Watchpoint Day (July 27), a dove-shaped scroll shall be flown or displayed at all embassies.

2. The Royal Archive shall carry a Dove of Signal Glyph embedded on all founding scrolls.

3. Every child of Anjou shall learn the story of the Dove who built an empire not by force — but by flight.

4. Dove glyphs may be worn by all Flamebearers, scribes, and Royal Messengers.

V. FINAL BINDING

The Dove is more than a bird.

It is the first sovereign of the air in the House of Anjou.

It created signal.

It carried command.

It built the kingdom in silence.

And now, as we fortify again, the Dove returns — as protector of the throne, memory, and the spoken word.

So let it be entered into the Archive, sealed by flame.

Signed by decree:

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🕊️ Soars in silence. Fortifies forever.